

SHANGHAI MUNICIPAL POLICE.

File No. REGISTRY

D. 7161

Special Branch Station

REPORT

Date December 13, 1935

Subject Fuh Tan University Dramatic Club - to stage performance
at the Ningpo Fellow Countrymen's Association.

Made by and Forwarded by C.D.I. Grubb

The Fuh Tan University Dramatic Club is staging a performance entitled "Thunder Storm" at the Ningpo Fellow Countrymen's Association, 480 Thibet Road, for three days commencing today, December 13. There will be two performances daily - 2.30 p.m. to 5.30 p.m. and 9 p.m. till midnight - and is open to the public at \$1.00 and 60 cents admission charge. A perusal of the synopsis shows that the play is based on a love romance.

In the afternoon of December 13, a representative, Tuan Tieh Lun (段鐵倫) of the Dramatic Club called at Police Headquarters and requested permission to stage the play. Enquiries at the Revenue Dept. revealed that no application had been made for an entertainment licence and should application be made now it would take several days before permission could finally be granted.

The representative states that he is prepared to apply for a permit.

Application for
the issue of
a license was
made in the
forenoon of
Dec 14.

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- 1.12.35

Approved on
conditions stated
- special case

Commissioner of Police
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D. C. (Special Branch)

Acting Commissioner of Police
Sir,

D.O. "A"
Information.
We are trying
to get the
application
through as
soon as possible.
J.H.G.

I recommend that the performance be allowed to proceed, provided the organizers agree definitely to obtain the permit from the Mun. Council as soon as possible. This is the first application received since the decision was made to insist on permits being obtained for all performances of this character.

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